

WEDNESDAY EVENING, OCT. 10, 1881.

The Republicans of New York state are beginning to push the work of the campaign with vigor. "Union and harmony for the sake of victory," is the battle-cry.

Ohio's Republican majority is not less than 24,000, and the official returns may swell it to over 25,000. The Republicans will have a good working majority in the legislature.

ONE of the worst gauge of counterfeitors in this country has been broken up in Kentucky and Tennessee recently. Six of the rascals were jailed at Paris, Tenn., last week. So far fourteen of the band have been arrested. Twenty-nine are still at large.

Mrs. GARFIELD will shortly remove to Cleveland, where she has rented the elegant residence of Col. W. H. Harris, formerly of this city. The residence, No. 490 Euclid Avenue, is one of the most charming on that wonderful thoroughfare, said by Bayard Taylor to be the finest avenue in the world.

PROF. KLEIN, a Louisville astronomer, writes the *Courier Journal* that for many weeks he has been watching a strange double comet, which is attended by nine smaller comets of cometary fractions. He believes it to be the comet of 1811 and 1845, the latter of which was thought to have been destroyed.

A CORRESPONDENT of the *Inter Ocean* has found the eldest brother of General Garfield living in an obscure way in the woods of northern Michigan. The simplicity and poverty of his life contrast strangely with the events that have taken place with reference to his brother within the last year. The suggestion that a small portion of the fund contributed to Mrs. Garfield might be sent to him, to make his declining years more comfortable, is well timed.

AS THE returns come in from different parts of Great Britain and other parts of Europe, the extent of the disasters by the recent great hurricane prove to have been much greater than the first reports have indicated. It is now ascertained that at least eighty-five vessels were lost along the British coast, and that in all one hundred and thirty vessels were wrecked during last week. Over 140 lives were lost, and the loss of property is estimated at over \$32,000,000, of which \$24,000,000 falls to Great Britain. The storm extended as far east as Germany.

THE Democratic editors have learned, by long and severe training in the bitter school of adversity, to extract comfort from the most insignificant sources. Necessity has compelled them to forego the pleasures of a full meal, and they enjoy with a zest born of long abstinence the few crumbs that occasionally fall to their hungry lot. Just now they are musing merrily over the fact that Senator David Davis has appointed one of their party as his private secretary, and they chuckle and grin over this beggarly sop with a thankfulness that is well calculated to produce feelings of pity and compassion in the hearts of all beholders. They can think and talk of nothing else now, save this act of charity on the part of the man who doubtless learned of their pitiable condition while he was "among them yet not of them," and was thereby prompted to give to one of the starvelings the only "place" at his disposal. They are willing to forgive Judge Davis for everything he has done, since they have witnessed this exhibition of charity on his part. Any principle that might have been involved in the matter is easily lost sight of, just so the spoils may come to them. For of such is the Democratic party.

MOST of the Democratic senators bore the bousing of Bayard from the chair with good grace, for they don't like him overmuch. As his countrymen tired of hearing Aristides called "the Just," so the Democratic flesh crawled at the reiteration of the name "Honest Tom" Bayard. But their smile was ghastly when President pro tem Davis announced his list for the committee vacancies, putting the Republicans Aldrich, Miller and Lapham in the old places of Barnard, Cookling and Platt. That was the time when a Democratic president would have counted. Ordinarily the presiding officer is only a figurehead.—*Globe Democrat*.

Our great job lot of large size bed curtains at \$5 cents each are selling fast; also those wide Canton flannels at 7 cents cannot last long at the rate they are going. Call and see them at the Popular New York Store.

BERTIE'S PHILOSOPHY.

Small boy Bertie.

Dropped out of the pane,

Looking at the chickens,

Dragged with the rain.

Little philosopher.

Wrinkles his brow,

Says, "I wonder—

I don't see how."

Where do chickens come from?

Mamma, please to tell.

Yes, I know they come from eggs,

Know that very well.

Course the old hen hatched 'em

I know that, but then—

What you tell me true?

Where'd you get the hen?

She's mine, my boy,

And big folks wouldn't tell things,

Shouldn't you feel bad?

Every single thing you say

I know your say,

Where that first hen came from

Is what I want to know."

Carter Harrison's Creed.

Springfield Post.

The singular spectacle of the mayor

of Chicago standing up before a com-

mittee of citizens—men of business,

not sentiment—and lauding his mother

for feeding his baby stomach on whisky

is suggestive at least. Sugges-

tive of a brain either turned by the

stimulant of spirits, or an inordinate

hope of making capital for a future

campaign. That after such youthful

experience he is "not now a drunkard,"

as he says, may well be a thing to feel

thankful for, but it is very small excuse

for boasting. Carter is not too old to

become a drunkard yet, or, what would

be infinitely worse, by his example, and

by the freedom with which he advertises

it, make drunkards of some who other-

wise become useful and honorable men.

The man who, for the sake of winning

popularity or a future nomination, joy-

ously boasts of his feats of drinking,

even from his mammy's breast, is an

ass whose example is just the most

prominent thing in the world to be

shamed.

IOWA's state election of last week

was one of the biggest Re.ubican vic-

tories yet achieved in that banner Re-

publican state of the Union. The

general vote was comparatively light,

and yet the official returns will give the

state ticket a majority not much below

50,000, and the new legislature will

stand 114 Republicans, 24 Democrats,

9 Greenbackers and Fusionists—81 Re-

publican majority on joint ballot. It

seems to be generally conceded now that the Hon. James F. Wilson has a

"dead sure thing" for United States

senator.

A WASHINGTON correspondent says:

President Arthur has become to the

politicians as much of a sphinx as Gen-

eral Grant was. Speaking of an inter-

view with him the other day, a promi-

nent political leader said: "You can't

get a word out of him. He is a com-

plete mystery. He is courteous, genial,

pleasant, glad to hear everything, and is

getting good advice in large quantities;

but he gives no intimation as to his pur-

poses."

EX VICE PRESIDENT HAMILIN wears

no overcoat, even in the coldest winter,

and is as vigorous as at 40. The dark-

eyed Castilian maiden of Madrid will

find our ambassador equal to the task

of swinging corners, and all the courtoisies

of younger men. Leaving a multi-

tude of friends in America, he has all

the news of head and heart to make

many more in his new home. No man

can doubt the statesmanship and

manners of the new world better.

THE late Matthew Vassar left \$50,-

000 to the scholarship and educational

funds of Vassar college, and \$80,000

for the endowment of two professorships,

one of languages, the other of natural

science, with the provision that the

latter sum shall lapse to the city of

Poughkeepsie if a woman be placed in

either of the chairs thus endowed.

PRESIDENT ARTHUR is said not be

looking well. He has lost much of his

exuberant vitality, has grown slow in

his movements, and his face bears the

expression of sleepless nights and an

overstrained brain.

ALL the Democratic papers are of

the opinion that Senator Edmunds' re-

mark about Bayard having "drawn a

prize in the lottery of assassination"

was in very bad taste.

DEMOCRATS say they have been used

to the soothing effects of "Davis' pain-

killer," but the effect of the recent ap-

plication in the senate was anything

but pleasant to sore heads.

KEOKUK, Oct. 18.—The river still

continues to boom, and now marks sev-

eral inches higher than the freshest of

last spring. The outlook is dangerous,

and great damage has been done here.

There has been a rise of fourteen inches

during the last twenty-four hours, and

operations at the lumber yards have

been suspended. The water is gradually

covering the floor of the St. Louis &

St. Paul Packet depot. There is over a

foot of water over the tracks of the Iowa

Division of the Wabash and the Chi-

cago, Rock Island & Pacific, and no train

left on that road last evening. The

Rock Island train left on the Chicago,

Burlington and Quincy track this morn-

ing. If the water continues to rise work

will have to be suspended at the round

houses and car shops.

CHICAGO, Oct. 18.—The rainfall over

the northwest continues and the troubles

of the high water seem increasing at

Quincy. It is feared the breaking of the

Soy Lever is again imminent, the water

being repaired in the weak spots. At noon

the sun is not here and there is a little

better prospect for the cessation of rain

elsewhere.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 18.—Yesterday

Confederate bonds were regularly placed

upon the list of marketable securities at

the Stock Exchange in this city. When

they were called \$3 per \$1,000 was

bid, but holders asked \$10. There were

no transactions at this price. Many

holders of this long neglected paper

seem to think they are going to get rich

upon it, and are holding for big prices.

Our great job lot of large size bed cur-

tains at \$5 cents each are selling fast;

also those wide Canton flannels at 7 cents can-

not last long at the rate they are going.

Call and see them at the Popular New

York Store.

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TELEGRAPHIC

YORKTOWN.

How It's Centennial was Begun
Yesterday.A Big Claim Against Peru
and Chili.

THE WILD WATERS.

YORKTOWN, Oct. 18.—There was a

light shower this morning and the

weather is cooler. Eight boats arrived

between midnight and eight o'clock

this morning,

NEW GOODS

NOVEL

— AND —

Attractive Styles

Are received daily by

LINN & SCRUGGS.

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400 PIECES NEW, STYLISH

— AND —

GOOD PRINTS!

AT 5 CENTS A YARD.

BLEACHED and BROWN MUSLINS

— AND —

CHEVIOTS,

Very cheap, and an Elegant Assortment of

CARPETS!

— AT —

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Decatur, Aug. [31, 1881].

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Corner of OLD SQUARE, under the Management of

FLEURY, THE FRENCH CUTTER.

This Establishment is the youngest of all the Clothing Stores in Decatur, and still it is the Largest and Finest of its kind!

Knowing that we have to meet Sharp Competition in close proximity, we have established ourselves under certain rules, such as to sell a superior article than our competitors, and to sell it for

LESS MONEY.

This, together with Fair Dealing on the ONE-PRICE SYSTEM, has in a short time made us the

LEADERS OF POPULAR PRICES!

And has given us a line of customers which is our pride and some of our competitors envy. Another facility is, that many Goods Displayed in our store are especially manufactured for our Trade, and are strictly first-hand.

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DEPARTMENT is stocked with the best Goods, adapted for all classes of Trade.

Our Department of HATS and CAPS comprises the staple as well as the nobby styles and recommends itself to the old and young.

The TRUNK and VALISE Department is constantly kept complete.

REMEMBER OUR FALL STOCK, in every Department, is DAILY ARRIVING, and that we endeavor to be worthy the name given to us.

LEADER OF POPULAR PRICES.

FLEURY, THE FRENCH CUTTER.

CORNER OF OLD SQUARE.

Decatur, Sept. 9, 1881—d&w

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Oct. 11—d&w

GARFIELD

Agents wanted for Life

or President Garfield

history from credible authority, to the eminent

biographer, Col. Cornell. Books all ready for

delivery. An elegantly illustrated volume

bound in leather, liberal terms. Agents take

any other book ten to twenty.

Agents never make money so fast. The book sells itself.

Experience not necessary. Failure never

make immediate profits. The term

Oct. 17—d&w

GEORGE NASHON & CO.

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66 a week is your own town.

Wheat and Corn, 35

cents per bushel. Address H. H. HARRIS & CO.,

Portland, Maine.

SHILLABARGER'S patent process now

saves one-half the labor in baking, and

will make more bread to the pound than

any other flour ever sold here.

Oct. 18—d&w

Quality the Best, Price the Lowest, and our

honesty is what our customers

CHEAP CHARLEY.

The Daily Republican.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, OCT. 18, 1881.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

JUNC BASKETS in endless variety, at E. D. BARTHOLOMEW & CO.'s.

SEVERE colds abated.

The sun is with us again.

PRAYER meetings this evening.

The mud is slowly disappearing.

"JOLLITIES" are booked for Tuesday, Nov. 1st.

FRANK BOYD has reopened his "English Kitchen"—on North Main street.

LEMONADE assembly to-morrow evening as usual.

There was a light frost observable in this section this morning.

There is not so much talk about the Marco whisky cases as there was.

On Oct. 17th of last year the earth in and about Decatur was white with snow.

Don't miss the rousing bargains in handsome dress goods at the

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POPULAR NEW YORK STORE.

ANOTHER Decatur hunting party will start out Friday next. They will go Arkanawanda.

Sava money by purchasing pure drugs at W. C. Armstrong's.

Our counting room stove is up. Now come and see us, and you will receive a warm reception.

For solid comfort smoke none but Schneiders' famous 5 cent Bohemian cigars.

THE rooms over Schroeder's store in Postoffice Block are being fitted up in elegant style, and will be occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Andrews as residence.

THE very best 4 and 5 cent calicoes are to be had at The Popular New York Store.

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"PRINCE" killed "Pilot Temple," once noted on the turf, at St. Louis, the other day. He was once sold for the sum amount of \$10,000.

LADIES' and Children's Knit Underwear selling very low at Roach & McReynolds'. oc18-d&w

Six inches of snow fell at Quebec Sunday night, and a heavy frost visited De Moines, Iowa.

GEO. P. BLUM, the well-known Singer sewing machine agent, is compelled to seek larger quarters. He will occupy a more commodious room in the west end of Postoffice Block in a few weeks.

TWO famous Haines Bros.' picots sold by C. B. Prescott, are very popular in this community. They improve with age.

ALL kinds of crocheting and knitting sold to order; also feathers made, colored and cleaned, at M. FALCONER'S, 18 Merchant street. oc18-d&w

But times at Yorktown this week.— Decatur is not represented, but Col. Hubbard is there for Clinton

It will pay you to examine the large stock of Hosiery and Gloves just received by Roach & McReynolds.

Oct. 18—d&w

WAHNS preferred stock is quoted at

884; common, 484; Illinois Central, 1204;

Hannibal & St. Joe, 1144; common, 964;

P. D. & E., 304; Union Pacific, 1184;

Western Union Telegraph, 844; Ameri-

can Express, 92; United States, 71.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Henry Franklin, which took place from the German Lutheran Church on Tuesday afternoon, was quite largely attended. The services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Landgraf, the pastor.

The Shap's Chapel service will be held on Thursday evening, Oct. 20, at the residence of George R. Steele, 53 West Prairie street. A cordial invitation is extended to all friends of the church to be present.

Persons wishing to attend the Pickrell-Campbell stock sale at Harrisburg to-morrow may reach the place by going down over the Wabash at 7 o'clock in the morning and returning at 7 o'clock in the evening.

19—d&w

THE evning of the 27th is the time of the second anniversary ball to be given by Decatur's Cigar Makers' Union. The committee have tickets for sale at \$1 each.

BUTTER & PATTERNS and Publications, at LINN & SCRUGGS.

THE December term of the circuit court will soon be at hand, and then the 23 prisoners in the county jail will have a chance of getting their freedom or going up the road.

CHILDREN'S CLOAKS and Crotchet Utensils, in large variety

Big 18—d&w

CHEAP STORE.

14—d&w

A good appetite cannot exist without good digestion. Carter's Liver Pills bring about both. They make you digest what you eat and want more. For sale by Hubbard & Swearingen.

19—d&w

WHEAT bed spreads at 50c, 75c, \$1.00,

and \$1.25 each—all very cheap, and selling rapidly at the Popular New York Store.

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Now it is emphatically stated that

there were not 300 persons present at the

Maria "Indignation meeting" Saturday

night—only about 14. Evidently some body has prevaricated.

The best Carpet sweepers that are made—and what every housekeeper should have—for sale at Linn & Scruggs.

Sept. 18—d&w

WHEAT

and Corn, 35

cents per bushel.

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